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OXFORD, MISS., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1914.

ALLIES REPORTED

BERLIN SAYS AUSTRALIAN BAT-TLE CRUISER AUSTRALIA IS MISSING FROM PORT.

WAS IN HAWAIIAN WATERS tering Dardanelles-Interest Shifts rom Flanders to Lorraine and Alsace.

Berlin.—Information given out to the press by the German official press by the German side of the frontier, over which received by the Italian newspaper Corriere Della Sera, the Australian battle cruiser Australia apparently is missing.

The Australia was last reported in Hawaiian waters last September, when the Watson Navigation Co. steamer Wilhelmina picked up a wireless message from the dreadnought saying that she was in full chase of the German cruiser Nueramerz.

A British submarine tried to force a passage through the Dardanelles, according to a dispatch from Constantinople to the Frankfur er Zeitung. The submarine's presence was discovered, however, the massage adds, and the house of the country. I should like in this address to review the notable record and try to make adequate according to a make adequate according to the country.

wever, the massage adds, and the essel apparently was hit by shots ALLIES BEGIN MARCH EAST red by the Turkish forts.

don.—The British cruiser Venus hore in the storm, striking with her full force. Her foremast and a portion of the bridge was carried away by an enormous sea. The warship was running for a port in the south of Eng-

from the Flanders to Lorraine and Upper Alsace. There has been little fighting in that part of Belgium still held by the allies and the French have taken some old German trenches, which has given rise to a belief that the Germans will fall back to new positions. Operations of more serious import are taking place on the borders of Alsace-Lorraine. In Upper Alsace the French apparently have made considered to feel their way eastward.

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London.—The battle in Northern consider the Germane have in the west.

There is a report, however, that the Germane have kept the pick of the Germane emperor on the side and the Russian emperor on the other. These two monarchs left in the front so that virtually the ads of all the nations at war are the their troops.

The kine of Vertical transfer of the troops.

the king of Belgium, as usual, is spenu-ing all his time with his soldiers, while President Poincaire of France has gone for another visit to the northern gone for another visit to the northern Going On.

scanty and with both headquarters claiming successes it is impossible to say how the battle is going. Of its

Fighting of Vicious Character Carried

so closely drawn over the operations of the armies of the theaters of the

of a vicious character is still being carried on in the eastern zone, and that there have been isolated combats here and there along the entrenched lines in Belgium and France, nothing

Russians Announce Victory.

Petrograd.—The following commucation was issued from the headquasers of the army of the Caucasus:

French Driven Back.

Lendon.—According to a Flanders insurance Paid.

The Hague.—Since Aug. 15, according to an official report, the German insurance and official report, the German insurance and iffe insurance company has paid out \$3,750,800. The amount paid from Oct. 15 to Nov. 11 was \$1,342,250.

with the greatest stubbornness, the Germans have succeeded in occupying Lodz, Poland, an unfortified city. Ac-

ly because of what preceded it, is considered by military experts a really remarkable achievement. Less than a fortnight ago the army to which this victory has fallen was surrounded by Russians and cut its way out only at the last moment, losing great numbers of men and many guns. Yet it was able within a few days to reorganize take the offensive and defeat ganize, take the offensive and defeat the Russians defending Lodz.

Cermane in Poland to Push the Line Eastward.

The same process is being followed along the whole front. The French official communication speaks of "the superiority of our offensive" and the "marked advantage" of the French ar-

London.-With the lull in the battle in the west, which has become a heavy cannonade at widely separated points, with only occasional infantry attacks, interest centers in the strugglo be-tween the Russians and Germans in

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"Our troops, after lively engagements on the roads from Dilman and
Khoi (province of Azerbajan, Persia),
took possession of the towns of Zeri
and Keshkal."

Russia Announces Victory.

Petrograd says it is officially announced that the Russian army of the
Caucasus occupied Saral Koi and
Baschkal, in Eastern Turkey in Asia,
near the Persian border, "as the resuit of battles occurring on the Dilman
and Khoi routes."

Washington. — Offensive operations by the French garrison of Belfort and German counter attacks were reported from the French foreign office to the Merit on Sir John French, commander of the British for the of the British forces on the cor

ems Which Confront

Congress.

kets is imperative Necessity-Our National Defense Lies in

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thoughts are now more of the fut than of the past. While we have worked at our tasks What we have done for our own land and our own people we did with the best that was in us, whether of char-"marked advantage" of the French artillery over that of the Germans.

The advance, slight as it is in the
northwest, has ended for the present
at least, in the opinion of many, the
German menace of the coast ports. It
is believed that so long as the Germans are compelled to keep up the
strength of their army in the east,
they will be mable to assume the offensive in the west.

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sufficiently profitable to attract and
engage private capital, and engage it
in abundance, the government ought
to withdraw. I very earnestly hope
that the congress will be of this opinlon, and that both houses will adopt
this exceedingly important bill.

The great subject of rural credits
still remains to be dealt with, and
it is a matter of deep regret that the
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tween the Russians and Germans in the east.

At last the Russians have approached within firing distance of Cracow, their advance from Przemysi having proceeded without any real check. They were reported to be mounting heavy batteries around the town of Wieliczka, and from which the outer forts of Cracow can be reached.

Important as this is—for the fall of Cracow would lay open the roads to Vienna, Breslau and Be-lin—the main interest in the east continues to rest with the operations on the irregular front from Czenstochowa through Lodz and Lowicz to the East Prussian border. Official pronouncements as to progress here are guarded and indefinite, and it is difficult to arrive at a conclusion as to the course of events. It is annearent he waves that a new continue to a progress here are guarded and indefinite, and it is difficult to arrive at a conclusion as to the course of events. It is annearent he have approached with innumerable articles of manufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now supply their all but empty markets. This is particularly true of our own neighbors, the states, a smally supplied with innumerable articles of manufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now to supply their all but empty markets. This is particularly true of our own neighbors, the states, they formanufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now manufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce can now get only a small part of what they formanufacture and commerce ca

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which it has done, in loyal response to the thought and needs of the coun-try. I should like in this address to re-view the notable record and try to that has been done and are ourselves too much part of it to play the part of historians toward it. Moreover, our

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The king of England is in France; CZAR'S MEN NEAR CRACOW in the resources wholesale and upon a scale unpreceded and appartition of Polynom as asset in page 1. palling. There is reason to fear that the time is near, if it be not already at hand, when several of the coun-

stunted and hindered the development of our merchant marine. And now, when we need ships, we have not got them.

I have come to ask you to remedy and correct these mistakes and omissions. The time and the circumstances are extraordinary, and so must our efforts be also.

Use and Conservation.

Fortunately, two great measures, finely conceived, the one to unlock, with proper safeguards, the resources of the national domain, the other to encourage the use of the navigable water outside that domain for the generation of power, have already passed the house of representatives and are ready for immediate consideration and action by the senate. With the deepest earnestness I urge their prompt passage.

gislation which awaits and should ceive the sanction of the senate: neasure of self-government to the peo the action of another congress. Its passage would nobly crown the record of these two years of memorable la-

of which I have spoken if we have not the certain and constant means

opened—by many ships and regular sailings and moderate charges—before streams of merchandise will flow free-

postponed. The government must open these gates of trade, and open

difficulties of the subject have seemed to render it impossible to complete a hill for passes at this essaion. But it can not be perfected yet, and therefore there are no other constructive measures the necessity for which I will at this time call your attention to; but I would be negligent of a very manifest duty were I not to call the attention of the constructive is threatened. Dread of the power than the attention of the constant to the feet.

the attention of the senate to the fact that the proposed convention for safe-ty at sea awaits its confirmation and that the limit fixed in the convention itself for its acceptance is the last day of the present month.

The attention of the senate to the fact of any other nation we are incapable of. We are not jealous of rivalry in the fields of commerce or of any other peaceful achievement. We mean to live our lives as we will; but we mean also to let live. We are, indeed, a

Charting of Our Coasta.

There is another matter of which I must make special mention, if I am to discharge my conscience, lest it should escape your attention. It may seem a very small thing. It affects only a single item of appropriation. But many human lives and many great enterprises hang upon it.

It is the matter of making adequate provision for the survey and charting of our coasts.

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It is immediately pressing and exigent in connection with the immense coast line of Alaska. This is a matter which, as I have said, seems small, but is in reality very great. Its importance has only to be looked into to be appreciated.

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Economy le Urged.

that there have been solated comback here and there along the entremented lines in Belgium and France, nothing is at hand to show how the fortunes of war are being distributed.

"At no place along the entire front and Lowiez to the East Prussian border. Official pronouncements as to progress here are guarded and indefinition in the wat. Of the trend of events in the east, Vienna declares the flighting in North Poland continues, but that in all other rones quiet prevails.

Polish Nobleman is Killed.

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also to let live. We are, indeed, a true friend to all the nations of the world, because we threaten none, covet the possessions of none, desire the overthrow of none. Our friendship can be accepted and is accepted without reservation, because it is offered in a spirit and for a purpose which a one need ever duestion or which no one need ever question or suspect. Therein lies our greatness. We are the champions of peace and of concord. And we should be very jealous of this distinction which we have sought to earn. Just now we should be particularly jealous of it. because it is our dearest present hope that this character and reputation may presently, in God's providence, bring us an opportunity to counsel and obtain peace in the world and reconciliation and a healing settlement of man a matter that has cooled and interrupted the friendship of nations. This is the time above all

are not prepared for war. What is meant by being prepared? It is meant that we are not ready upon brief no-tice to put a nation in the field, a na-

ent political principles and institu-tions. And what is it that it is sug-

We have always found means to do that, and shall find them whenever it

necessary without calling our peo-

Allow me to speak with great plain-

ness and directness upon this great matter and to avow my convictions

ple away from their necessary tasks to render compulsory military service

Let us remind ourselves, therefor of the only thing we can do or will do. We must depend in every time

to make our moral insurance against

nor yet upon a reserve army, but upon a citizenry trained and accustomed to arms. It will be right enough, righ American policy, based upon our ac-customed principles and practices, to provide a system by which every the training may be made familiar ments of drill and maneuver, and the ing what will benefit only a few or maintenance and sanitation of camps. We should encourage such training and make it a means of discipline ng what will beneat only a lew or have been undertaken at all or might have been postponed or better and more economically conceived and carwhich our young men will learn to value. It is right that we should promore economically conceived and car-ried out. The nation is not niggardly; it is very generous. It will chide us only if we forget for whom we pay make it as attractive as possible, and it at such times as they can command a little freedom and can seek the physical development they need, for more health's sake, if for nothing ards, but they are not very difficult of application to particular cases. more. Every means by which such things can be stimulated is legitimate, The other topic I shall take leave to American ideas. It is a right, too, that the National Guard of the states mention goes deeper into the princi ples of our national life and policy. It is the subject of national defense hould be developed and strengthened by every means which is not incon-sistent with our obligations to our

> ecause it should be our constant pol icy to make these provisions national peace and safety. More than this carries with it a acter of our polity. More than this, proposed at this time, permit me to lost our self-possession, that we had been thrown off our balance by a war with which he have nothing to do, very existence affords us opportun-ities of friendship and disinterested service which should make us ashamed of any thought of hostility

specially calls for such measures, but

A powerful navy we have always regarded as our proper and natural means of defense; and it has always been of defense that we have thought, haven Bankers. never of aggression or of conquest. But who shall tell us now what sort

change as we have seen it change continues to change as we have seen it cannot be assumed by assume as a change of vanie we would be assumed by assume as a change of vanie we would be assumed to the assuments. It is not new. There is no new need to have been called for trial at this bet it could not see how the arrived at its verdet of \$4.7 and so he down to \$500 was agreed to: we shall easily and sensibly agree string further in the case, for resulting further in the case after the case and amounced affirmed if a remitting sons stated to the governor, and so he has stepped down and out from the case altogether.

Gov. Brewer has been confronted with the task of finding another law of the case of the case with the case of the case was amounced affirmed if a remitting further in the case, for resulting furth

I close, as I began, by reminding you of the great tasks and duties of peace which challenge our best powers and invite us to build what will last, the tasks to which we can address ourselves now and at all times the free-hearted rest and with all the finand the people of the world as their need arises, from the abundant plenty of our fields and our marts of trade; of our fields and our marts of trade; the Hoffman block of buildings and Of the circuit judges-elect nine are to enrich the commerce of our own the residence and she is named as expresent incumbents, including Judges ucts of our mines, our farms, and our factories, with the creations of our thought and the fruits of our character-this is what will hold our attention and our enthusiasm steadily, now to show in our life as a nation what liberty and the inspirations of an emancipated spirit may do for men and for societies, for individuals, for

Russian Woman Martyr.

large shellow tank is constructed which has wings of galvanized iron. The tank is filled with kerosene. The Mrs. Catherine Breshkovsky, known natives then start the drive three or four miles away and close in gradually, driving the grasshoppers before them into the tank. The grasshop having been imprisoned at Irkutsk for trying to escape. She is seventy years old and was sentenced to the life of a convict because of her anarchistic made a lecture tour of the United

In That Time Brindle Buil Terrier Rose From Obscurity to Recognized Place on Stage.

Two months ago Buster, a little brindle Boston buil terrier, was lost from the lot of homeless dogs which had been gathered. He paid \$5 for the city "dog catcher" and taken to the dollars one one day he was picked up by the city "dog catcher" and taken to the pound to be sold or killed it appeared to be the end of Bustur, says

the Kansas City Times.

Last week an act a: the Globe the rear of the theater, where Louis Oppenstein, owner of the theater, where Louis Oppenstein, owner of the theater, stood.

"Did this act start here in Kansas City Times.

"Why, no; they're from New York," Why, no; they're from New York, and now Buster is back at home, and on the stage there that looks like one I lost two months ago," he atter two of the most exciting months of his life—all the way from an outcast in the most exciting months of his life—all the way from an outcast in the street to a full-fledged actor on the vandeville stage.

definite and certain and adequate is

CLAIMS HE SHOT IN SELF-DE STATE SUPERINTENDENT FENSE-PERSUED BY MOS OF VICTIM'S RACE.

Negroes Arrested Who Offered Indignities to Dr. Lon C. Johnson, Member of Legislature.

Batesville-Half a dozen negroes were arrested and mob spirit on the physician in payment for professional services he rendered the darkey.

tricating himself, Dr. Johnson suc-tion and will make a report to ceeded in drawing his revolver, and office." when the black charged upon him it is the purpose of the A. and M. the second time, he fired, killing his adversary instantly.

It is the purpose of the A. and M. College to use Mr. Early's splendid executive ability, to keep the schools

The alarm spread and very soon a in touch more clos crowd of a score of negroes formed tension work of the college, as well and, as there are few white persons in as the work of other high schools, the immediate vicinity, they had Dr. He will visit the schools, not as a to climb a tree until Sheriff Lemaster Members of the meb of negroes who state, with two others organized and could be caught, were brought here with buildings under construction, and placed in jail, where they are these two being in Lincoln and Tate guarded tonight to prevent a hostile sounties.

Dr. Johnson was a member of the Many Cases Reversed. Mississippi Legislature.

LUTHER BUSCH ACCEPTS.

Jackson.—After casting about, Gov. Brewer announced that he had de-cided to appoint Luthher M. Burch, and there will a prominent young Jackson attorney. that the proports unusually large to sit as a special judge at the trial of unusually large. The most course the Brookhaven bankers. Mr. Burch

sue at all seasons, without haste and after a fashion perfectly consistent with the peace of the world, the abiding friendship of states, and the unhampered freedom of all with whom we deal. Let there be no misconception. The country has been misinformed. We have not been negligent of national defense. We are not unhampered freedom of the great responsibility of the great responsibility of the great responsibility of the great responsibility. power to bring the cases of Becker past during the warm days of winter resting upon us. We shall learn and and associates to trial at this term. and associates to crisis.

There will be two weeks left after the present of the Copiah term, and when J. W. Powers, the secretary of state, and the secretary of state. ence and every new circumstances; present of the Copiah term, and when and what is needed will be adequately once started the trial will consume all once started the trial will consume all mailed out commissions for 27 newlyof that time and may exceed it. Mr. elected chancery and circuit court who could spare the time.

Vicksburg.-The will of the late more than a generation. Louis Hoffman, the wealthy hardware Of the incoming chancellors by elecest gifts of constructive wisdom we possess. To develop our life and our resources; to supply our own people, today, and provides that his widow, Messre. McGowen, Cutrer, Stevens, today, and provides that his widow, formerly Miss Kate Riny Falkenheimer, of St Louis, receive all real estate, as being the senior in service.

Vicksburg.—As the result of failure is dean by seniority of service. of airbrakes to check westbound train
No. 12, which had come to a full stop Tangle in Tweifth District. at Mounds, La., where passing orders were given, it was run into. Passengers were shaken up; some painfully injured. Both locomotives were dam aged after being derailed.

Houston.-Burkitt Harrington, who Hill, died at the Houston Hospital. The difficulty occurred just a short as "Baboushka," or grandmother to distance out from town, where about the Russians, has been ordered to a half dozen were gambling and en er gaged in a drunken carousal.

> commissioners re-enacted the stock ordinance as follows: "In the area Want Soldier Traps Back. bounded by the beach, the Louisville & Nashville railroad, Kelly street and Thirty-eighth avenue, it shall be unlawful for any cattle, horses or other unimals to roam about."
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> Persons having in their possession any national guard equipment and who refuse demands of officers of militia companies to turn it over to them, will be arrested.

> Greenwood.—Cotton receipts at Greenwood from Sept. 1 to Nov. 26 were 76,754 bales, as against 73,532 same time last year. Shipments this year to date 29,259 bales, as against 46,341 bales last year in the general election on Nov. 3, show that less than 1,200 Socialist votes

Quitman.—There is a movement on foot here to float a \$10,000 bond issue for the improvement and beautifying of the town. Sidewalks and streets are to be improved, if the issue goes through, and drainage and waterworks will come in for attention.

Auditor Summoned.

State Auditor D. L. Thompson was served with a subpoena duces tecum in the cases of art important witness in the cases of art state against F. F. Bucker and others,

NEGRO IS RESCUED HIGH SCHOOL AGEN

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EDUCATION SENDS OUT NO-

TICE OF APPOINTMENT.

BLACKS HEAVILY GUARDED WILL ACT AS INSPECTOR

tension Work of the Colleges.

State Superintendent of Education part of white citizens in the Ballen- W. H. Smith has recently notified tine neighborhood, 14 miles west of the principals of the county agricullowing indignities visited upon Dr.

Thos. A. Early, formerly superintendincensed at the killing of a member of their race by the physician.

Carai nga schools in Mississippi that Dros. A. Early, formerly superintending the country and incensed at the killing of a member of their race by the physician. Trouble arose between Dr. Johnson by the Agricultural and Mechanical and A. Adams, negro, over the price College as high school agent. In his

"One phase of his work (Mr. E ly's) will be to visit and inspect the The negro whipped out a huge knife, agricultural high schools, make sugit is said, and attempted to attack gestions and serve somewhat as a assailant, receiving a slight wound in schools. In this connection he will the cheek in doing so. Quickly ex- represent the Department of Educa-

There are now 39 agriccultural high and a posse arrived and rescued him. schools in active operation in the

The last day for consideration of the preme court, was characterized by an ters, most of whom were of the local bar, with a few visiting lawyers scated

and settled thing, which we will puryer to try the cases, one which he spector for Mississippi, has issued the sue at all seasons, without haste and finds exceedingly difficult. For law-

of that time and may exceed the will suggested to the governor, and to Judge Barbour, that the latter call on their duties on Friday, Jan. 1, 1913. In Judge R. E. Jackson, of the Sixth This is in pursuance to the elective district, which adjoins Judge Holden's judiciary law, which went into effect this year and incidentally disrupts the old order of an appointive judiciary. which had obtained in this state for

Clayton, Everett, Jackson, Brien, Al-

Hattiesburg. - A very interesting question awaiting solution by voters of the Twelfth circuit court district of

and Dinkins, of whom Judge Hugher

Mississippi is whether they will have one or two judges after January. The Gallman Consolidated Schools, which have more than 200 students,

help to the cotton situation. C. E. Hood, the principal, instructed all the children that needed new clothing to

the general election on Nov. 3, show that less than 1,200 Socialist votes were polled in Mississippi

QUEER FOOD OF FILIPINOS | keted in Manila in a year.

"There is a grasshopper plague every ten years in the Philippines." and the problem of combating the grasshoppers in a warm climate like the Philippines is more difficult than in countries where cold weather serves as a check."

"Dried grasshoppers are used as food in the Philippine islands," said Henry Jackson Waters, president of the college, in a talk before the agricultural society of the Kansas State Agricultural college. "Three thousand tons of grasshoppers are man hoppers is to organize a drive. A system which is used."

There are many acres of unset then finto the tank. The grasshop them into the tank them into the